

Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure  
Examining Group 1792

PATENT  
ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0092/012001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Masaaki OYAMADA et al.      Art Unit: 1792  
Application No.: 10/820,024      Examiner: Tsoy, E.  
Filing Date: April 8, 2004  
Title : CONDUCTIVE ELECTROLESSLY PLATED POWDER AND  
METHOD FOR MAKING SAME

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Commissioner for Patents  
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 15, 2009, applicants hereby submit the enclosed papers including an Amendment under 37 CFR 1.116. Since August 15, 2009 is a Saturday and August 16, 2009 is a Sunday, applicants believe that this is a timely response within the shortened statutory period and that no extensions of time fees are required.

The required fees are calculated below:

Total Claims	<u>36</u>	-	<u>36</u>	=	<u>0</u>	\$0.00
Independent	<u>5</u>	-	<u>5</u>	=	<u>0</u>	\$0.00
TOTAL FEE DUE:						<u>\$0.00</u>

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THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE THIS FEE AND ANY OTHER FEES WHICH MAY BE REQUIRED OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 19-2586, REFERENCING ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 0092/012001. THIS IS A GENERAL AUTHORIZATION EXCLUDING ONLY PAYMENT OF THE ISSUE FEE.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 17, 2009



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